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## A ROYAL SCULPTOR.



Prince Carl of Sweden in the hall of his house near Stockholm, where he has set up the statue of Eve which he has bought. With him are his wife, their little son and three daughters.

## ROMANCE



Phyllis Mary née Smith, daughter of the hostess of the Falcon Hotel, Whitlesey, whose meeting with Flight Lieut. Sterndale-Bennett after a flying mishap has had a happy sequel in marriage.



Flight Lieut. Sterndale-Bennett, whose romantic meeting with and marriage to Miss Phyllis Smith is described above, had served in the Royal Air Force from the beginning of the war.

## RE-MARRIAGE RUMOUR



Lady Dalmeny, the recently-divorced wife of Lord Dalmeny, and Captain Robert Bingham Brassey (inset), between whom, it is reported, a marriage has been arranged to take place early in April.

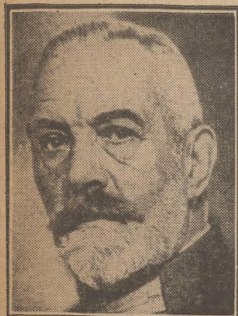
## MR. ASQUITH ADDRESSES THE WOMEN VOTERS OF PAISLEY.



Mr. Asquith making his appeal to the women of Paisley at a largely-attended meeting in the Central Hall. He fully realises that their vote is a determining factor of the election, and is making a strenuous effort to secure for himself the greater percentage of their support. Lady Bonham Carter (inset) is doing yeoman service with her persuasive speeches in her father's cause.

## ON THE BLACK LIST.

## IN GRAVE DANGER.



Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the former German Imperial Chancellor, who, according to the Marlin, is included in the list of those whose surrender is required by the Allies. His trial is demanded by Belgium.



Gaby Deslys, the famous dancer and actress, who is lying seriously ill with throat trouble at Paris. It has been found necessary to perform another operation, and her condition is causing grave anxiety.



## SIMPLE WEDDING OF \$3,000,000 WIDOW.

How Prince and Bride Waited Their Turn.

### \$400 GIFT TO POOR.

Mrs. Leeds Married in Geneva Town Hall—No Decorations.

PARIS, Sunday.

The marriage of Prince Christopher of Greece to Mrs. Leeds, which was celebrated at the town hall at Geneva on Saturday, was of the most democratic character.

The Prince arrived in an ordinary taxicab like any commoner.

As Saturday is a day on which civil marriages are celebrated without payment, the Prince, who arrived late, had to wait a quarter of an hour with Mrs. Leeds in a side room while the marriage of a German-Swiss artisan was taking place.

#### THE RELIGIOUS CEREMONY.

The scene must have had a certain piquancy for both—a prince and a millionaire's widow. The hall was not decorated with flowers, nor was there any social ceremony.

Before leaving the Prince gave 10,000 francs (£400) for the poor of Geneva.

The religious ceremony will take place to-day at the Russian Church at Vevey in the presence of the Queen-Mother of Greece, the Duke of Sparta and other members of the royal family, with the exception of the ex-King Constantine and the ex-Queen Sophia.—Reuter.

Mrs. William B. Leeds is the widow of the Timplale King, who died in 1909 and left her \$3,000,000. Mrs. Leeds bought Kenwood, Harpstead, from the Grand Duke Michael.

## LADY DALMENY TO WED.

Re-marriage in April to Captain Brassey, the Millionaire Landowner.

A marriage has been arranged between Lady Dalmeny, the recently divorced wife of Lord Dalmeny, and Captain Robert Bingham Brassey, the millionaire landowner, of Heythrop Hall, Chipping Norton, Oxon.

The wedding, says the *Weekly Dispatch*, will take place quietly at the end of the hunting season early in April.

Captain Brassey is a nephew of the first Earl Brassey, and the only surviving son of the late Mr. Albert Brassey, J.P. He is in his forty-fifth year and succeeded to the estates on the death of his father two years ago. He is a widower with four children—one boy, aged ten, and three girls, the eldest of whom is thirteen.

## CREAM 5s. A PINT.

Butter 5s. 6d. a lb.—How Money Crisis Affects the Market Basket.

Cream, now decontrolled, will be 5s. a pint to-day, says one dairy company. British butter may be 5s. 6d. per pound in a few days' time. Beef will be 2d. per pound cheaper to-day and home-killed pork will be 1d. per pound more.

Bread.—Unless the depreciation in the £ can be stopped, it is feared that either the bread subsidy or the price of the wheat will have to be increased.

The new tobacco price increases will probably be—

Cigarettes, 1d. to 2d. per packet of 10.

Tobacco, 1s. to 1s. 6d. per lb.

Pre-war 4d. cigars will now be 11d. or 1s.

A glut of foreign meat is recorded. The Port of London Authority's and other cold storage accommodation is full to the utmost limit and meat ships from Australia and New Zealand are unable to discharge their cargoes.

Danish bacon exports to this country are jeopardised by a strike of Danish co-operative slaughteryard workers.

## GABY DESLYS WORSE.

Fresh Operation Necessary—Comedy Actress Again Critically Ill.

PARIS, Sunday.

The health of Mlle. Gaby Deslys is getting worse.

A fresh operation has been rendered necessary, and the result, owing to her weak state after previous operations, is considered doubtful.—Exchange.

## JUDGE ORDERS THE 'CAT' FOR 4 MEN.

In sentencing four men at Lincoln Assizes to receive twelve strokes with the cat, in addition to terms of imprisonment, for robbery with violence, Mr. Justice Horridge on Saturday said he would not send the men to longer terms of imprisonment because of the expense.

The time had come when men must realise that thefts, housebreaking and highway robbery would not be allowed to be rampant.

A Vienna report asserts that the Serbian Government, simultaneously with the rejection of the *Slovene ultimatum* has decided to mobilise three years' levies.—Reuter.

## LIGHTNING STRIKE

Gas Workers' Coup Imperils Hendon and Finchley Supply.

### 'BLACK COATS' TO RESCUE.

Because the management of the North-Middlesex Gasworks, at Mill Hill, refused to dismiss five old employees who declined to join the men's union, all the other employees to the number of about 180 struck work at two hours' notice.

Hendon and Finchley districts were threatened with a complete failure of the supply, but the situation was saved by clerks and a number of volunteers, who quickly got to work and mastered the intricacies of the plant.

A visit by *The Daily Mirror* to the works found clerks, chemists, accountants, collectors and others of the "black-coated brigade" hard at work and succeeding in keeping the gasometers full-charged.

Artist as Strike-Fighter.—The continuance of the gas supply, the organiser of the volunteers—an artist in private life—informed *The Daily Mirror*, "is due entirely to the keenness of the volunteer workers."

Quite a large number of the volunteers are members of the local Middle Class Union.

The "Black Coat" Gang.—The wage question is quite all right," said the manager. "We are not fighting the union, but if five men who have been with us for many years don't want to join the union, we think they have a right to do what they like; England is still a free country."

The whole of the clerks," he added, "look off their coats, and after two hours' tuition from three or four of us, they are carrying on grandly. There are twenty clerks in all."

Now we have got to work properly the position is quite safe.

## DIAMOND WEDDING.

Sir Merton and Lady Russell Cotes to Receive Public Testimonial.

Sir Merton and Lady Russell Cotes, the age of each of whom is eighty-one, celebrated their diamond wedding yesterday at East Cliff Hall, Bournemouth.

A public testimonial will be presented to them shortly.

Sir Merton Russell Cotes is famous as an art collector and connoisseur. In conjunction with his wife, he has given to Bournemouth East Cliff Hall and its art treasures, to become the Russell Cotes Art Gallery and Museum.

## JUMPED ON THE TAXI.

Smart Capture by Policemen of Two Suspects at Edmonton.

Warned by two unknown boys in Edmonton late on Saturday night that burglars were at work in Bridge-road, Police-Constables Turton and Rowland proceeded there.

Upon going there they met a taxicab coming along and immediately jumped upon the foot-board and ordered the driver to proceed to Edmonton Police Station.

One man, it is alleged, jumped off the cab and disappeared.

It was subsequently found that the factory of Messrs. A. Mead and Company had been burgled.

Two men were detained.

## 42 MONTHS' WAIT FOR V.C.

Sergeant-Major's Reward for Gallant Conduct in July, 1916, Just Announced.

The award of a V.C. to a sergeant-major three years and six months after he performed the gallant deed which won the coveted decoration has just been announced by the *London Gazette*.

According to the *Gazette* the King has approved the award of the Victoria Cross to 10947 Company-Sergeant-Major George Evans, 18th Battalion Manchester Regiment.

For most conspicuous bravery and devotion to duty during the attack at Guillemont on July 30, 1916, when under heavy rifle and machine-gun fire he volunteered to take back an important message after five runners had been killed in attempting to do so.

By the time he returned, adds the *Gazette*, he had accomplished 1,400 yards, under shell fire. He was taken prisoner some hours later.

## CAPTAIN DIES AT HIS POST.

The British steamer *Nero*, Swansea for Lisbon, foundered on Saturday five miles west of Ushant, says Reuter.

The steamer, which is considered lost, is lying on the Black Rocks. The dead body of the captain was found on the bridge.

All the crew were saved, one boat reaching the island of Molene and the other the harbour of Conquet.

## A BREAD RISE, BUT NOT FROM YEAST

To make a kilo (just over 2½ lb.) of bread costs in France at present one and a half francs, but it is sold at half a franc the State making up the difference.

So great is this burden become to the State that Ministers (says the *Exchange Paris correspondent*) are now considering the problem, and it is expected that the price of bread to the people will be raised almost immediately.

## DEMPEY COMING.

Mr. Cochran Confident That London Will See Contest.

### CUNARDERS HELD UP.

From Our Own Correspondent.

Mr. C. B. Cochran, who is sailing on the *Baltic* for Liverpool to-day, said: "I am confident that the Carpenter-Dempsey fight will be held in London."

The *Mauretania*, with 1,300 passengers aboard, has been delayed since Friday. The liner requires 6,000 tons of coal, but none is in sight. She hopes to leave on Tuesday.

Other foreign ships have coaled, and their sailing has not been delayed.

Shipping men assert that the fuel administration at Washington is discriminating against the Cunard Line on account of a dispute over fuel.

The Imperator and the *Carmania* were delayed twenty-eight hours, and the *Pannonia* forty-eight hours.

## 350 FT. HIGH "HOUSES."

Stores, Creches and Clubs in Explorer's Plan of London Housing.

Give Londoners tall, thirty-story, hygienically-planned buildings and wide, airy spaces in which to live instead of crowding them into congested areas of small villas.

Such was the interesting theory on London's housing given to *The Daily Mirror* by Sir Martin Conway, the well-known author and traveller.

"It will not be long before the population of London will be approaching ten millions," he said. "I am not a great believer in suburban villas. You cannot turn a slum-dweller into a bird of paradise simply by giving him a five-room cottage in the country."

Some of the most interesting features of Sir Martin's proposed "city" are: buildings of thirty-stories and some 350 ft. in height, in form of a staircase; upper floors to be used as flats, lower floors to include co-operative stores and other shops, a concert, cinema and lecture hall.

Each complete building to have its own elementary school, a creche for babies, playrooms, gymnasium, a canteen and club accommodation for both men and women.

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## MR. G. N. BARNES EXPLAINS

"No Quarrel with Colleagues and Not Joining Another Political Party."

"I have had no quarrel with my colleagues, and I have no intention to transfer my allegiance to another political party."

This reference to his reported resignation was made by Mr. G. N. Barnes, M.P., on Saturday night at a "welcome home" to ex-Servicemen at Leman-street, E.

"I have had the fierce light of the Press shed upon me during the week," he said, "and it has not been an unkindly light."

## ACTORS IN COUNCIL.

Association Congratulates Itself on Defeat of "Bogus Manager."

The defeat of the bogus theatrical manager by a system of registration was one of the things upon which the Actors' Association congratulated itself yesterday at its first annual meeting at His Majesty's Theatre.

It was also stated that the association had been able to secure Government protection for artists going abroad. Pleasure was expressed at the satisfactory working of the new conditions of employment of children.

## SOLDIER KILLED ON THE LINE.

From Our Own Correspondent.

It was reported here that upon the arrival of the midnight express from London yesterday a carriage door was found open and a soldier's kit discovered in the compartment. Search was made, and in Asfordby Tunnel, between Nottingham and Leicester, a soldier's body was discovered, with a ration card bearing the name of James Gallagher, forty, Main-street, Maryhill, Glasgow.

There were no signs of a struggle.

## MAD GERMAN'S BOMB ORDER.

An order recently issued to certain German reserve brigades that aeroplanes and bombs should be constantly in readiness has now been discovered to have been issued by a German officer who is undoubtedly deranged as the result of a severe wound, says a Reuter Berlin message. The officer has been taken to an asylum.

## WEEK-ENDS FOR OUR DOMESTIC SERVANTS.

"Meals Must Be Free from Interruption."

### FIREPLACE IN BEDROOM.

The old adage that a "woman's work is never done" is no longer applicable to domestic workers.

"Domestic work is now realised to be a highly-skilled occupation, and demands the privileges accorded to such," said the superintendent of a domestic servants' training bureau to *The Daily Mirror*.

"We are aiming at a forty-eight-hour working week, two hours off each day and a compact between mistress and maid whereby the girl may take the accumulated hours in week-end. Meal times must be free from interruptions and comprise one hour for dinner, half an hour for breakfast and half an hour for tea."

#### ALTERNATE SUNDAYS OFF.

"The girl must have alternate Sundays off, occasional week-end, a fortnight's leave, with pay, per year after six months' service, and her commencing salary must be from £22 to £25 a year with uniform. She must have a fireplace in her bedroom and be allowed to remain out on her evenings off to a reasonable hour."

The organisation of domestic servants will be considered at three meetings under the auspices of the Women's Industrial League at Central Hall, Westminster, to-day.

At 3 p.m. an Association of Mistresses and Domestic Employers is to be formed; at 6.30 p.m. a branch of the Domestic Servants' Section of the Workers' Union will be inaugurated, and at 8 p.m. Mr. J. Coals, of the Hotel, Club and Restaurant Section, addresses a meeting.

## WIRELESS SKYSCRAPER.

Engineer's Plan for 1,500ft. Mast That Will Dwarf Eiffel Tower.

An ambitious scheme for the building of a 1,500 ft. high mast (or nearly half as tall again as the Eiffel Tower), which would be at the same time the largest wireless station in the world, an observatory, a fun city and a national monument, was explained to *The Daily Mirror* yesterday by its designer, a young civil engineer, named John Clarebouts.

The mast, or rather tower, has taken me seven years to plan," said Mr. Clarebouts. "It would be in four pillars, rising from a 360 ft. base to a small room at the top of about 36 ft. across."

Six towers, 400 ft. high, would be built round it, and at distances of 400 ft., and connected by lifts there would be platforms.

"By this means it would be possible to speak across the world without any relays."

## JOY FOR DOGS TO-DAY.

"Muzzles Off" in London and Surrounding Districts.

Every dog gets his day, and for some, in certain districts, "Der Tag" has arrived to-day, when the wire abomination which reduced the fighting Irishman to the level of the spiritless dachshund, is abolished.

Muzzles are no longer required after to-day in the City of London, the County of Middlesex, except south-west of a line from Uxbridge to Twickenham, the portion of Herts at present in the area, a small part of Bucks (including Beaconsfield, Chipping Wycombe, Amersham and Marlow), and the south-eastern half of Surrey.

## OTHER NEWS IN BRIEF.

To-day's Weather.—Win! S.W. to W., fresh or strong. Squally. Considerable fair intervals. Mild.

General Judenitch has been released.

Railway strikers have resumed work in Italy. The Thames has overflowed its banks, and at Shepperton is 5 ft. above the normal.

The Prime Minister will receive on Friday a deputation of the Comrades of the Great War.

430,000 workers are affected by an engineering lock-out that begins to-day in Sweden.—Reuter.

Miners' 30-Hour Week Demand.—The coal miners in New South Wales are now claiming a thirty-hour week.

Founder of the first kindergarten training school, Henriette Goldschmidt had died in Berlin.—Wireless Press.

Deportation by Aeroplane?—Bela Kun will be deported from Austria to Russia perhaps by aeroplane.—Exchange.

Asleep for three weeks, a girl, aged seventeen, is suffering at Geneva from sleeping sickness. Six victims have died at Zurich.

Crackers, cakes and chocolates were sent by Princess Victoria for the annual party on Saturday of the Social Institutes Union for Women and Girls.

Ex-Chaplain Killed.—Thrown from a motor-car in collision with a road roller, the Rev. W. J. McMullan, an ex-Army chaplain, has been killed near Belfast.



# Chief Commissioner Devising Fresh Scheme Will French Sûreté System be Followed? PROPOSED CREATION OF A NATIONAL FORCE.

The Daily Mirror understands that, following the growing public alarm at the epidemic of crime, and the strictures on present police methods, the Chief Commissioner of Police is now devising a scheme to reorganise our detective service on a scientific and more efficient system.

Our Special Commissioner, who has been continuing his investigations, states that the idea of a detective-training academy is being favourably considered, and other suggestions put forward are—

- A national force on the lines of the French Sûreté.
- More and better publicity.
- A revival of the system of rewards.

Recognition is rightly paid to-day to the splendid work of the Automobile Association in tracking motor-car thieves.

## PUBLICITY AND REWARD SYSTEM WANTED

How Motor-Car Thieves Have  
Been Tracked Down.

### A.A.'s SPLENDID WORK.

I am pleased to think that the criticisms which I have been making in *The Daily Mirror* with a view to improving the efficiency of our detective system are likely to bear useful fruit.

Sir Nevil Macready, the Chief Commissioner of Police for London, is, I understand, busily engaged in considering ways and means for improving the service by remodelling it on scientific lines.

Special attention is to be paid to devising a scheme whereby it will be possible to attract to the ranks of our Criminal Investigation Department the best brains in the country. The suggestion that an academy should be established for the training of detectives and for criminal research is also being favourably considered in certain quarters.

### SCANDAL OF UNDISCOVERED CRIMES.

A particularly serious phase of this outbreak of lawlessness is that so much of the crime goes undiscovered—that over and over again the criminal beats the detective.

Among the undiscovered crimes of violence committed during the last month are four murders involving the deaths of five persons. Scotland Yard detectives were called in in each case, but the murderers are still at large. Obviously there is something radically wrong with the existing system for detecting crime.

### A NATIONAL FORCE.

Suggestions for a Service on Lines of the French Sûreté.

I have suggested in previous articles in *The Daily Mirror* that recent events have shown that in many respects the system is hopelessly out of date; that entirely new methods must be adopted if the present serious wave of crime is to be checked.

Feed Scotland Yard, and, through Scotland Yard, the whole detective force of the country with better-equipped brains, and the criminal classes of this country will find it much more difficult to escape the meshes of law and order.

Letters continue to pour into *The Daily Mirror* supporting the demand for reorganising our detective system. A number of correspondents suggest the setting up at Scotland Yard of a national detective service.

Writing on this subject in the *Sunday Pictorial*, Mr. John Albion says:—

"The National Detective Force should recruit men of good education and exceptional ability who should be given high pay. The force should be a corps d'élite, like the Sûreté in France."

There is another matter in connection with the detection of crime which I suggest the authorities would do well to consider, and that is the advisability of promptly offering substantial rewards for information that may lead to the arrest of an escaped murderer.

If an organised and well-advertised "hue and cry," however, were raised for murderers, accompanied by the offer of a monetary reward, I am convinced that it would go a tremendous way towards securing the criminal's arrest. "Money talks" even among the associates of murderers. At present most of the handbills issued by the police concerning crime and giving descriptions of criminals are stuck up outside police stations. That is not sufficient. A little more imagination would show the necessity for extending the sphere of operations to the public hoardings and, if need be, to the advertising columns of the newspapers.

Motor Thieves.—"The number of motor-car thefts has fallen off a good deal lately, I am pleased to say," an official at the Automobile Association told *The Daily Mirror* yesterday.

When we receive notice that a car has been

stolen we immediately have its description sent to all our patrols, who number between 100 and 500, and are stationed at various points in the country.

Part of the duty of the patrols is to take the numbers of all cars and motor-cycles that pass their patrol-box on the road, and with the help of these numbers we have been able to trace countless stolen cars.

There is at present an epidemic of car thieving in France. The other day one of our members had his car stolen in the Riviera. We got to work. Within a few days the car was found by the roadside, the thief being so intimidated that he dare not approach a garage for a tin of petrol.

## "WANTED" FOR WAR CRIMES.

To-day's Council to Decide on Ex-Kaiser's Extradition Demand.

PARIS, Sunday.

The Council of Ambassadors meet to-morrow to settle the reply to the Dutch Government with regard to the Allies' demand for the extradition of the ex-Kaiser. —Central News.

The *Echo de Paris*, quoted by Reuter, gives the first list of Germans who are accused by the Allies of war crimes. Among the twenty-one names are:—

Prince Rupprecht, Duke of Württemberg, Von Kluck (murdering hostages at Senlis); Von Mackensen (ordering executions among Rumanian civilians); Von der Lancken (murder of Miss Cavell and Captain Fryatt); Von Sanders (permitting massacres of Armenians); brothers Niemeyer (outrages against British prisoners); Lieutenant Werner, Commander Valentine and Commander Forstner (sinking hospital ships), and Admiral von Capelle (ordering submarine outrages).

The *Matin* states that the Allies' list contains 690 names, including that of Dr. von Bethmann-Hollweg, the former German Chancellor, whose trial is demanded by Belgium. —Reuter.

## TRADE WITH RUSSIA.

Bolsheviks Accept the Allied Proposals —An Immediate Start.

The headquarters of the Russian Co-operative Societies in Paris have received authorisation from the Soviet Government to transact business with foreign countries.

The telegraphic message in which the authorisation was conveyed was received in reply to a message sent from the British wireless telegraph station at Carnarvon on January 26.

The Soviet Government says the message permits the Central Union of Russian Co-operative Societies to enter into commercial relations with the co-operative societies and business firms of Western Europe, America and other countries. The Soviet Government has given the Central Union all the guarantees necessary for the protection of goods.

The Central Union is ready to commence exchanges immediately. —Reuter.

## ANOTHER POLICEMAN WOUNDED.

Returning to the police barracks at Limerick on Saturday night, Sergeant Wellwood, R.I.C., was fired at by two men standing at a street corner. He was struck by a bullet that passed through the left cheek close to the eye. The wound, it is thought, will not prove fatal.

Sixty-five prominent Sinn Feiners and Irish Republicans have been arrested in Dublin, Tipperary, Limerick and Cork.

## MR. HENDERSON "MUCH BETTER."

Mr. Arthur Henderson, who was taken suddenly ill at the end of a speech at Wellington (Salop), on Saturday, was much better yesterday.

## THE PRINCE OF WALES' AUSTRALIAN TOUR.

H.R.H. to Arrive in New Zealand in April and Australia in May.

### SEPARATE INDIAN VISIT.

It is officially announced that the Prince of Wales shall pay a visit to Australia and New Zealand during the year. In order to make the most of the time at his disposal and to take advantage of the best climatic conditions, the Prince will visit New Zealand en route to Australia on May 18.

Though detailed arrangements have yet to be settled, it is hoped that the Prince will arrive in New Zealand on April 17 and will reach Australia on May 18.

His Royal Highness will proceed via the Panama Canal on both the outward and the return journey, paying a visit to Barbados on the way out. He hopes in returning also to visit some of the other West Indian Colonies.

This official announcement disposes of the statement that India will be included in the tour. The Prince will pay a visit to India also, but for this visit a separate tour will be arranged.

## WOMEN JUDGES NEXT.

Mr. Asquith's Hint—"No Babies for Another War," says Daughter.

"There should be a complete opening of professions and trades to women on the same terms as to men," declared Mr. Asquith in a speech at Paisley on Saturday.

It seemed absurd, he added, that there should be difficulties in women attaining places upon local authorities, upon bench of justices and, if necessary, upon the judicial bench itself.

Lady Bonham Carter also spoke and said that women did not want to bear their children only to find them in another great war.

Describing how her father was converted to woman's suffrage, Lady Bonham Carter said:—"I do hope some of you are a little touched by the sight of him on the stool of repentance, clothed in a white sheet, a convert to woman's suffrage."

Mr. Asquith issued his usual advice to the electorate on Saturday. The policy and duty of Liberals he set out as follows:

The immediate granting of self-government for Ireland.

Devolution of purely national business to Parliaments in Scotland and other parts of the United Kingdom.

Governments of the world should summon an international economic conference, in which all the States affected by the war—Allies, neutrals, or enemies—should be invited to take part.

At a week pension at the age of sixty-five is advocated by Mr. Biggar, the Labour candidate. The Paisley branch of the United Irish League last night decided to support Mr. Biggar.

## THIRD CLASS SCUTTLE.

Admiral von Reuter Complains About the Grade of His Railway Travel.

BERLIN, Sunday.

In a series of interviews Admiral von Reuter made bitter complaints regarding his treatment.

According to the *Weserzeitung* he said he was taken from one prison camp to another in a third-class railway carriage and was robbed of his cape and overcoat so that he was obliged to make shift with scanty clothing.

He further alleged that the luggage of German officers had been broken open by British officers and men on board ship and ransacked and that some things had been stolen. —Reuter.

When Von Reuter arrived at Wilhelmshaven Von Trotha said: "You, Herr Admiral, at your lonely post, gave the order to sink the fleet when you regarded the resumption of the war as a fact!" —Reuter.

## BRITISH PRISONERS RELEASED.

COPENHAGEN, Sunday.

The four British wounded who have arrived at Helsingfors from Soviet Russia are Lieutenant W. H. Bremner, R.N., Corporal England, of the 45th Royal Fusiliers, Lance-Corporal Sylvester, 1st Oxford and Bucks Regiment, and Private Lambert, 17th King's Liverpools. They do not require immediate treatment. —Reuter.

## FOOTBALL SECRETARY ROBBED.

Mr. P. Smyth, match secretary of the Dumbarton Harp Football Club, was robbed of his pocket-book, containing £59 in notes and a cheque at Alloa railway station on Saturday night while returning from a Scottish Cup-tie.

## SUNNY LONDON.

London was one of the three "sun spots" of England yesterday, when 5.5 hours were recorded. Torquay had 4.3 hours and Bournemouth was third on the list with 5.2 hours' sunshine.

New York's Coldest Night.—Saturday night was the coldest this winter, says a New York message. The thermometer stood at two degrees below zero. —Central News.

## FOR AIR FORCE.

Large Reduction on Estimates for Present Year.

## U.S.A. COMPLAINT.

British Assurances: No Further Borrowing for Reconstruction.

The Daily Mirror understands that the Air Force Estimates for the coming financial year (to the end of March, 1921) have been completed and that they provide for an expenditure of £23,500,000.

These estimates are included in the Army Estimates, and have already been signed by Mr. Winston Churchill.

For the year 1919-1920 the Air Force Estimates amounted to £24,000,000, a difference of nearly £1,000,000. The principal items were £21,501,000 for pay, £19,867,850 for technical and warlike stores, and £6,801,000 for works, buildings and landings.

It was understood some time ago that by the end of March next the strength of the Air Force, excluding India, would be reduced to 35,000.

## "LET BRITAIN PAY."

U.S.A. Wants Interest on Loans to Lend to Poland and Austria.

WASHINGTON, Saturday.

The discussion of the world's financial situation broke out in the Senate when Senator Smith read into records the statement that foreign nations owe the United States 335 million dollars (£65,000,000 pre-war) in interest on money loaned, the payment of which was deferrable. Senator Walsh expressed surprise that payment was deferred.

"They were told," he said, "that various countries were spending hundreds of millions on aircraft programmes."

Senator Smith suggested that if Britain, who owes the United States 144,000,000d. (£28,800,000 pre-war) would pay, the money could be lent to Poland and Austria.

Senator Phelan charged Great Britain with using money borrowed from the United States to further her own commercial supremacy.

The Hon. Ronald G. Lindsay, British Charge d'Affaires, acting on instructions, has informed Mr. Glass, the Secretary to the Treasury, that relief measures for the reconstruction of part of Europe do not involve further borrowing from the United States. —Exchange.

## "COLLAPSE OF EUROPE."

BERLIN, Sunday.

The standing Exchange Commission declares that an immediate meeting of representatives of the international financial world is indispensable to avert famine, the collapse of Germany and the consequent collapse of Europe.

The resolutions suggest that the League Powers the necessity for the immediate closing of Germany's western frontiers and the putting into force of the German economic laws in the occupied territory. —Reuter.

## GOLD WILL COME BACK.

Sir Auckland Geddes Appeals for Help to Put Europe "On Its Feet."

Sir Auckland Geddes, speaking at a dinner in Plymouth on Saturday, asserted that the exchange would right itself as the flood of goods sucked out of this country by America increased in volume and value.

The day would come when, from America, the gold amassed there would begin to trickle back to this country.

What we must do is to get Europe on its feet again, and he appealed to all to help in that task.

Indian Gold Standard.—The Government of India decided yesterday to pay for gold at the rate of ten rupees for the sovereign.

## RAID ON 'PHONE EXCHANGE.

PARIS, Sunday.

It is reported from Metz that a gang of men entered the military telephone exchange at Grigy, near Metz, and cut 500 wires in an endeavour to carry off apparatus. Three of the thieves were caught. —Reuter.

## THREAT TO RUMANIA.

The Associated Press correspondent in Vienna, says Reuter, learns from Bukarest that the Bolsheviks are waiting on the frontier to offer peace terms to Rumania, and that if these terms are refused the Soviet troops will move forward.

## LIGHTS OUT IN PARIS.

PARIS, Sunday.

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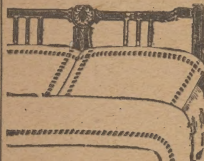
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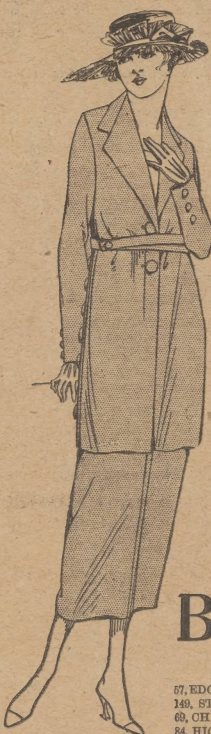
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## BITS OF PAPER.

THE view of the man in the street regarding the currency problem now bothering experts is that *he* wants more of the currency, whatever it may be—silver or gold or notes. The relation between these elusive values or tokens, all over the world, he is content to leave to those who are supposed to know about them.

Wasteful public finance—a policy of deliberate waste—plays upon this sublime indifference or ignorance. It prints the notes the worker wants, trusting that the worker will think he has what he wants when he gets the bits of paper.

He gets them. Then he finds he can get little with them. And that is the currency problem.

The Governments and the Banks of Europe have collaborated to foster this delusion ever since the Armistice, Banks crediting Governments, Governments borrowing from Banks. As the Governments won't save, but will print paper, it would be well if the "facilities" on which they count were to be denied them.

At the same time, the monetary position could be a little eased by a return to barter, and the elimination of a convulsed currency; as we have several times ventured to suggest for a way out of the difficult position.

## THOSE GAMES AGAIN.

WE could salute with enthusiasm the renewal of the Olympic Games this year, as a function of restored peace, were we convinced that the Games do not in fact irritate the peace they ought to confirm.

In Greece, long ago, it is possible that the common consciousness, so sorely needed by the small peoples of antiquity, was suggested and fostered by the great festivals wherein youths from all Hellas won immortality from a Pindar, or other to-day rather unintelligible poet. In the modern world, that consciousness of European or world-brotherhood hardly seems to be stimulated by the Games.

On the contrary, a series of heart-burnings, leading to a number of squabbles, seem to result from the effort to sport in common.

The financial or artificial aspect also seems to get the upper hand; and the "events" themselves turn out to be only terminations of a long series of discontented intrigues leading up to them.

However, we do not desire to "crab" the Games in advance; but only to suggest that a Sports Committee of the League of Nations might intervene to see that they do not lead to another war.

## "SIGNS OF CHANGE."

A DAY of sun and prolonged light like yesterday gives us our first hope and hint that the year has its face set in the right direction.

The winter has seemed long, damp, and depressing. We have probably four more months of it in fact, if not in name. Nevertheless, "hope springs eternal."

The willow by the Serpentine is already carrying a delicate bloom. The birds are beginning unmistakable preparations for the miracle to come. And we can, with a good heart, utter the prayer of Swinburne's "Vision of Spring in Winter" and say to the new season:—

Be not too long irresolute to be!

W. M.

## A THOUGHT FOR TO-DAY.

I put very high joys in February. It is the month of unlimited hope: hope with so little to show for it. The flowers are not there, nor the sunshine, nor the waving harvests. But they are all in prospect. We are moving towards them. The worst is behind. Before us all the spring, all the summer and all the fullness of autumn. There are no disappointments in February.—*J. Brierley.*

## HAS THE LOVE-LETTER DIED OUT?

### REFLECTIONS ON THE NEW BREACH OF PROMISE SEASON.

By JOAN KENNEDY.

WE shall begin the new breach of promise season in the courts this week.

Every time he reads a breach of promise suit, or a divorce case, in which love-letters figure as evidence, the average man wonders if it wouldn't be better if the love-letter and the writing thereof were a lost art. For the billet doux, meant for one pair of eyes, becomes ridiculous when read in a court of law and reported in the newspapers.

It may be the ridicule that has been attached to some unfortunate love-letters that has made man more wary, but I think that the average man of to-day either can't, or won't, write a love-letter. He is shy when it comes to expressing himself by the written word.

Thus it comes about that there are many modern girls with admirers who have never

about the vanishing love-letter, because all women gloat over sentimental epistles.

They like letters as evidence of love.

But modern lovers subject them to a lot of "reading between the lines," even when they do trouble to write. A girl with a "love-letter" is often a pathetic sight, for some of the letters she receives are such bald and meagre epistles that their receipt can scarcely give more thrills than would a circular with a halfpenny stamp.

### SPEAKING AND WRITING.

Many a Jack who makes love divinely never sends his Jill a letter expressing some of the things he says. And when a man can say so much, but write so little, a girl feels that she is not trusted.

Speaking of her lover the other day, a girl bemoaned the fact that she never received real love-letters from him. It didn't surprise me when I found that she was engaged to a barrister. Has any woman ever been the recipient of thrilling letters from a man connected with the law? Yet another girl, although she gets letters that would run into several editions

## HOW NOT TO CATCH THE CRIMINAL.—No. 2.



The good, well-meaning policemen proceed to "arrest" after the crime. They arrest everybody but the criminal.—(By W. K. Haselden.)

received a love-letter. Our modern civilisation is killing what was, after all, a charming practice and one that all women loved.

For one thing, there is the telephone! "Why write to your girl when you can speak into her pink ear through a wire?" asks the modern lover. And he will tell you that using the 'phone saves time, and that time is money.

The instalment of the telephone robs many a maid of her heritage of love-letters, and modern lovers will think nothing of wasting ninepence when three-halfpence would have served—because sending a kiss by wire is easier than writing a love-letter.

Another real blow to love-letter writing was struck when the picture postcard craze caught on.

Men bought picture postcards; women collected them. And picture postcards, along with the telephone and telegraph service, brought about the anomaly of the modern maid who has never received a billet doux, although she wears an engagement ring. And there are thousands whose letters from their lovers are not love-letters.

All the same, very few women feel happy

were they published in book form, was dissatisfied.

Her lover was a writer of fiction, a man who dealt in words, and his glowing phrases seemed to her to flow too freely, his sentences were too beautifully turned, his love expressed too perfectly to seem like a lover's words. She could never forget that writing was his profession, and his letters struck her as professional.

No doubt the man whose profession is writing can write a love-letter. The art is not forgotten in books, and the writer will keep it alive. Again, the actor, the musician and the poet are adepts with the pen in telling the emotions of love. Temperament is demanded and developed in such and similar callings, and the lover with temperament can usually put his emotions down in written characters.

The more temperamental a people the more unrestrained their literature and the more lover-like the letters their lovers write.

Of course, there are men who can and do express themselves better on paper than in person; but Mr. Average Man is losing the art of writing love-letters.

## ABOUT THE POLICE.

### ARE THEY AS EFFICIENT AS THEY WERE BEFORE THE WAR?

#### NOT THEIR FAULT.

DON'T your readers realise that the new criminal's means of escape have grown? The motor-car and the other means of swift transit have helped him.

Are the police to be blamed for that? What will it be when aeroplanes come into general and criminal use? FUTUREIST.

#### TWO STANDARDS.

YOU have rightly suggested that it is physical fitness that is too much insisted upon in the police force.

There should be quite a different standard for the detective side of their work—the standard of brains. A LAWYER.

Inner Temple.

#### THE MOUNTED POLICEMAN.

YES—why do we have mounted policemen prancing in Piccadilly?

I thought a procession was coming along when I saw one of them for the first time the other day.

But it was only a procession of motor-buses trying not to run into the mounted policeman. RITZ HOTEL. PROVINCIAL.

#### DOCTORS, OLD AND NEW.

ONE of your correspondents tells us that the old doctors always insisted upon "bleeding."

But don't modern doctors do the same? What about operations? SUFFERER.

#### WHY WARN US?

SINCE doctors cannot stop and cannot cure influenza, is it not a great mistake to "warn" us about it?

That only frightens us. Those who get frightened are apt to get influenza as well. C. D. Guildford, Surrey.

#### VACCINE FOR INFLUENZA?

I AM pleased to see the views expressed by F. M. on the subject of vaccination. My own experience of first adult vaccination was a very unfortunate one, and fully endorses the opinion as to its injurious effect upon the blood. One result of vaccination was inflammation of the eyes.

It would be greatly to the advantage of everyone if the probability of injurious effects of all forms of vaccination was more generally expressed.

It is a most unnatural practice, and that is perhaps the greatest of all arguments against it. J. M. B.

#### PROHIBITION.

"PUSSYFOOT" was heckled on January 17 at the Central Hall, Westminster, on the point raised by Mr. A. J. Buckle. He said (in U.S.A.) the poor shareholders in breweries and distilleries needed no pity, but rather congratulation, for the works had been adapted to other purposes, and, in all cases known to him, were more prosperous than before.

Work was done better, and there was no lost time through men having their heads too fuddled with drink to appear on Monday, or even Tuesday. H. B.

#### SHORTER LETTERS.

The Rarest Virtue.—The rarest virtue is what St. Paul calls "charity" or "loving-kindness"—the disposition to believe good of others, to love them, and to do one's best for them.—AGAPE.

Also Street Manners.—One constantly meets men who (superficially) look like gentlemen who stand in one's road and never move an inch if ladies want to pass.—OFT-FASHIONED.

Profiteering in Pictures.—"One Who Goes to the Pictures" should know by this time that it is the amount of work and talent shown in a picture and the thought, time, patience and individuality bestowed upon it that give it any value in the eyes of those who know. A picture cannot be priced according to its size or to the amount of paint or varnish bestowed upon it.—ARTIST.

#### SONG.

Had I a heart for falsehood framed,  
I'd e'er could injure you;  
For, the year's longest promise claimed,  
Your charms would make me true;  
Then, lady, dread not here deceit,  
Nor fear to suffer wrong;  
For friends in all the ages you'll meet,  
And lovers in the young.

But when they find that you have blessed  
Another with your heart,  
They'll bid aspiring passion rest,  
And act a brother's part.  
Then, lady, dread not here deceit,  
Nor fear to suffer wrong;  
For friends in all the ages you'll meet,  
And brothers in the young.

R. B. SHERRIDAN.

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## NOTES ON SHOPPING OF THE WEEK.

### HIGH PRICES AND THE CARE OF UMBRELLAS.

By L. CRAWLEY.

These notes, dealing with leading features of the past week's shopping are of great interest to every woman.

**B**AD weather, far from acting as a deterrent to the ardent shopper, merely drives her from window-gazing outside to wander inside among temptations which gain tenfold in strength by their proximity.

It may, therefore, roughly be estimated that what the shops lose on trade with customers who do not venture out in wet weather they gain on the hundreds who, finding themselves caught in the rain, seek shelter in the warmth and brightness of the various departments.



Miss L. Crawley.

While it is impossible to over-estimate the value of attractive window displays, it is, nevertheless, noticeable that wet weather will often succeed in driving interested customers who have resisted the temptations of the most tempting window displays.

The shopkeeper knows that "once aboard the lugger," so to speak, the customer is his in a great majority of cases.

Several large stores in the West End close last week, appropriately enough, for a special display of wet-weather raiment.

Gone are the days when mackintoshes were drab, disfiguring garments, the sole redeeming feature of which was their utility.

#### CARE COUNTERBALANCED BY CRIME.

The most charmingly becoming rainproof clothing is now obtainable in every possible colour, even down to the fashionable rust-red and jade-green shades so much in demand just now.

But the present-day waterproof coats and hats have increased in price as well as in beauty.

The last eighteen months have seen an increase of twenty and thirty shillings on mackintoshes which formerly cost two and three guineas.

Khaki trench coats are still obtainable in some shops for 30s. and 40s., but small children's slicking and sou'-westers now cost more than those garments, full size, used to cost in 1914.

Umbrellas have become so expensive that all sorts of devices are tried for making them easier to carry on the arm or wrist.

Statistics show that the number of umbrellas left behind in trains and buses was noticeably smaller last year than for several years previously, so that their increased costliness has at least resulted in people learning to be more careful of their property.

This effect of high prices is very interesting, but judging from the crime reports it would seem that another effect has been to increase the criminal's appetite for things which do not belong to him. The net result is that whilst we lose fewer things we have more taken from us.

Probably, on balance, our extra care of our property does not leave us much better off.

#### THE NEW POOR.

In spite of all that has been written about the fall in prices during the last few months people returning to England from abroad after an absence of a year or so, find the price of everything enormously increased.

An officer just back from West Africa is asked eighteen guineas for a dress suit by a firm who, eighteen months ago, offered to make him one for ten.

Woolen underwear is almost double the price it then used to be. Vests have risen from 7s. and 8s. to 13s. and 15s., which, before the war, it was possible to get for 4s. or 5s.

One reason why activity in the shopping world continues unabated is that so many people who had nothing special to do before the war have taken up paid work.

The people whose incomes have shrunk to half their pre-war size and who have no means of adding to them, are those to whom the task of shopping, once fraught with so much enjoyment, has become one of painful calculations, scheming and contriving.

The rate of exchange in France and America makes a comparison of prices in England with those in other countries difficult, but in this country we are, on the whole, well off as regards the price and quality of English goods.

## THE MAIDEN VOTE OF THE MILL GIRL.

### HOPES OF SIX POLITICIANS IN A SHUTTLE.

By DOUGLAS ECHANAN.

"Do not forget me,  
Do not forget me,  
Remember the maid—the maid of the mill!"  
—Old Song.

**A**NYONE who asks the Northern people for a job in Parliament at four hundred a year must certainly not forget the Maid of the Mill.

She is the predominant force to-day in the two by-elections at Paisley and Ashton-under-Lyne. Three candidates have wooed in the latter just as three are wooing in the former consistently her maiden vote—it is the first time that the mill girl has exercised the suffrage—and the hopes of all six are buried in a shuttle.

Even so exalted a politician as Mr. Asquith has had to don his Paisley praying shawl and kneel humbly to a pair of clogs.

It did not take this experienced campaigner long to discover the secret of the Paisley fight. He did not make the mistake of "waiting and seeing," but made a pleasant reception; and got in the first word with the thread girls.

The surprise visit was excellently staged by the ex-Premier's daughter, Lady Bonham-Carter, and Mr. Asquith had a pleasant reception; but the Maid of the Mill is reserving her verdict as she is in the case of the Coalition and Labour candidates.

At Ashton-under-Lyne, where there are ten

thousand women voters, a large number of whom are engaged in the cotton industry, the fate of the three candidates may be found, when the result is declared, to have been decided by the mill girl. Here Lady de Frece, like Lady Bonham-Carter at Paisley, discovered the true arbiter of the situation.

How will the mill girl vote? Will she vote Coalition; Liberal or Labour? She will probably vote for none of them; but for "ower ain sel's"—for the candidate who is most likely to work for better conditions for herself and her family.

It must not be forgotten that many of these women workers are married and that their husbands and children are also thread or cotton operatives; but this only increases the mother's responsibility for the welfare of all, and she is the collector of wages and the provider of every comfort in the home.

In a word, both these elections at Paisley and Ashton-under-Lyne may be described as "home elections."

The mill girl has little room for politics. Across the warp and weft of her economic vision is imprinted the pattern of social and industrial reform—a higher standard of labour, living—and thinking.

The mill girl does not desire to "wait and see" the home fit for heroines to live in; she wants to live in it—"toot sweet," as she would say.

The value of the M.P.'s job is now less than £200 a year—not £400 a year, as in 1914.

Will any of the candidates who are asking the mill girl to send them to St. Stephen's think of this? For her pay is also worth only a half.



The Greek steamer Preveza, broken in two by a recent gale. She had run ashore on Chesil Beach, Portland, during a fog.

## WHY NEED WE EVER HAVE LEAP YEARS?

### THE REASON WHY THERE IS A FEBRUARY 29th.

By CLIFFORD HOSKEN.

**I**T must be very discouraging to be a revered old gentleman of eighty with grandchildren, and perhaps great-grandchildren, clustered around his knees, and have to admit to them that he has not yet celebrated his twentieth birthday, and that unless he is spared for another four years he will never come of age, so to speak.

Yet I suppose there must be a number of revered old gentlemen in this country who were born on February 29, 1840, and they are looking forward to their twentieth birthday on the last day of this month.

It is this Leap Year business that keeps them so young, this trick of the calendar of having an extra day once in every four years and missing it out in most years that end with a double 0.

The year 1900 was not a Leap Year, for instance, so that children born on February 29, 1896, had to wait until 1904 for their first birthday, and will be celebrating their fifth this year.

When you start to inquire why we have Leap Years, you discover that we are living a gigantic fraud. It is rather like summer time upon a more subtle scale.

For a year isn't a year really; it's more than a year. This belief that a year consists of 365 days is a mere deception. It is nearly six hours longer than that. Strictly speaking, to-day is really yesterday until shortly before midnight.

What happens is this. Every December 31 we pretend that the year ends at midnight. It doesn't; it goes on being the same old year until five hours forty-eight minutes and forty-

six seconds after twelve. On the forty-seventh second the new year begins.

Well, we don't say anything about that; we pretend we have never heard of it. Anyhow, we can't be expected to sit up until nearly six o'clock in the morning to welcome in the New Year.

Now, this five hours odd to the good every year naturally accumulates. At the end of four years it has amounted to twenty-three hours fifteen minutes four seconds, or just forty-four minutes fifty-six seconds short of a day. Therefore once in every four years we attempt to even up things. We invent an extra day. We call it February 29.

But not quite level. We have that forty-four minutes and fifty-six seconds to consider. And to make that right we occasionally miss a leap year at the end of a century, and by this means manage to keep our calendars somewhere near to agreement with the sun.

Of course, somewhere about the year A.D. 100,000 things may have got all wrong again. But that won't worry us. Someone else will have to sit down and revise the calendar then, otherwise they will be getting into the same sort of muddle that occurred in Queen Elizabeth's time.

Then the calendar had got so far out that ten days had to be suppressed entirely. It was Pope Gregory XIII. who took the matter in hand and revised our calendar.

When it came to putting in this occasional Leap Year day to keep things right, February was chosen as being the shortest month, to receive the gift.

But there was not always a February 29. Originally the extra day was inserted between the 24th and 25th of the month.

What men called the antiquaries can tell us, but I imagine that in those more peaceful times men seized upon it as an excuse to make holiday. After all, who could be expected to work on a freak day like that?

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## KING ALBERT AND POINCARE AT FURNES IN THE—"PIP AND SQUEAK"



King Albert and M. Poincaré, the ex-French President, inspecting the guard of honour of the Marines on the occasion of their visit to Furnes to invest the town with the Legion of Honour.



The Marquis of Lochbros, whose name will be remembered, took place last week in the Legion of Honour.



Mr. Thomas MacCurran, a well-known figure, who has been a member of the House of Commons for many years.



"Pip and Squeak," The Daily Mirror's first M.P., and Lady Brittain at the Victoria Hotel called "Pip and Squeak and Christy."



**MAKING ANCIENT GODS.**—A lady artist in the West End who makes and paints plaques of ancient gods, putting the finishing touches to one of her models. She is kept busy by the great demand for her work.



**SERVICES IN DEMAND.**—Mr. Salmon (right), coxswain of the Clacton lifeboat—Albert Edward—who has made over two hundred life-saving journeys to sea in thirty-seven years, and John Ledgerton (with telescope), for twenty years signalman of the lifeboat.



**RICH SIMPLICITY.**—A most delectable effect is achieved in this pretty tam-o'-shanter of cream velvet, embroidered in cream and gold with tassels to match.



**HELP FOR SHOPPERS.**—A quaint little shopping basket on wheels, called the "Trot Along," which was noticed among the week-end shoppers in a London suburb. A stout walking-stick forms the handle.



**AN INTERLUDE.**—Mr. Horatio Bottomley and Mr. Palmer, the Independent candidate for the Wrekin Division of Shropshire, whose campaign he is assisting, purchase some onions from a local market stall. The election is proving a lively one.



**SWEET AND LOW.**—figured taffeta cut by a tunic effect at the in pink.



Rev. Daniel Hughes, an ex-sergeant of the R.A.M.C., who is the parliamentary Labour candidate for Colchester. He is now in service abroad.



# "HELP BART'S

# —NEWS

# MOTOR-BICYCLES FOR POLICEWOMEN.



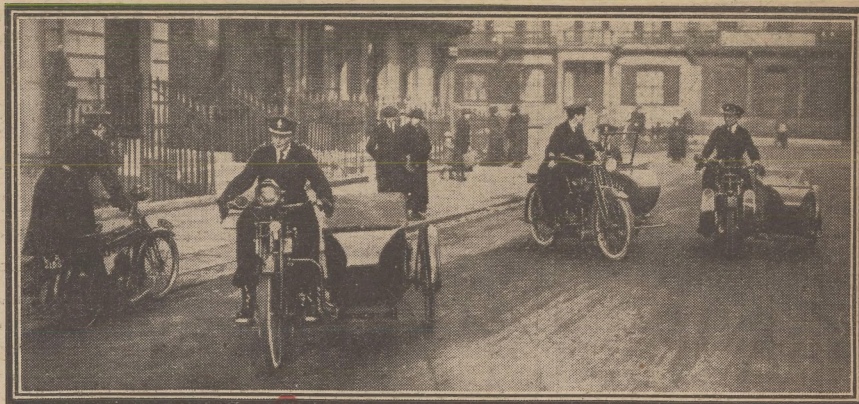
Children's pets, with Sir Harry Brittain, who have taken part in a little play in aid of St. Bartholomew's Hospital.



Lieut. J. K. Bonsfield, M.C., Royal Engineers, who has been awarded the Military Cross in recognition of gallant service in the



Joe Stetcher, who has won the world's wrestling championship, in an American style.



Members of the Women's Police Force setting off on duty from headquarters. The force has now been provided with several up-to-date motor-cycles and sidecars, which will be used to facilitate rescue work.



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**PLUCKY LAND GIRLS.**—Janet and Olive Martin, two land girls, who stopped a team of runaway plough horses at Medmenham, near Marlow, Bucks. Their prompt action was the means of averting a serious accident.



Sergt. John O'Neil, of Cadzow, the first Hamilton man to receive the V.C., has retained the old regiment, the 2nd Leinsters.



**EX-OFFICERS' JAM FACTORY.**—Dr. Alexander, J.P., M.D., Mayor of Faversham, watching the process at a local jam factory which was started by ex-officers. The premises are fitted with the most up-to-date machinery, and the ex-officers personally supervise the work. (Daily Mirror photograph.)



**CHESS PRODIGY.**—Samuel Rzeschewski, a wonderful eight-year-old chess player, who recently played twenty-five games simultaneously against well-known players in Berlin. His ambition is to meet Lasker, the world's champion.









Lady Dorothy Mills, whose new book will be published next month.



Miss Freda Buxley to marry Mr. H. W. Oswell, son of Commander Oswell.

# TO-DAY'S GOSSIP

News and Views About Men, Women, and Affairs in General

## No Tour.

There is an absurd story going about to the effect that Princess Mary is to make a tour of the northern capitals of Europe. On inquiry in the quarters best fitted to know I learn that there is no truth at all in the report.

## For the Y.W.C.A.

Mrs. Lloyd George is hoping for a big crowd at her At Home next week for the Welsh Y.W.C.A. This function will be the first step in a great money-raising campaign.

## To Speak.

Lady Rhonda will be one of the speakers at the At Home. Another will be Miss Picton-Turberville. Sir William Seager will be in the chair.

## Two Best Men.

Commander Melville Hawes, R.N., was a lucky bridegroom when he married Miss "Dodo" Kay at St. James', Piccadilly, on Saturday, for he had in readiness two "best men." The acting one turned out to be Commander Stevens, D.S.O., who was on the staff of Lord Beatty during the war, but Captain Turner Cole was there making himself useful by introducing the guests to each other and showing them into their seats.

## Rose and Silver.

Five rose and silver-clad bridesmaids and two charming little pages in white satin formed a procession in attendance upon Miss Vera Milles, who married Mr. Kenneth Yarow at Brompton Church on Saturday. Rose pink was again repeated in the bride's gown as a lining to her lace-train, but she chose gold-tissue for a panel to her white gown. The bride's father was the well-known late Dr. Jennings Milles, of Shanghai.

## An Ex-Kaiser Joke.

A Dutch friend tells me that "great fun and amusement" was caused lately in Holland by the reported instructions to the ex-Kaiser of a specialist who was called in. He is supposed to have ordered Wilhelm to take the waters at a famous German spa! Is this a subtle Dutch method of getting rid of him?

## On the List.

British officers who have suffered in German prison camps—and "Tommys" as well—are delighted that the brothers Niemeyer, of Holm-minden camp, are on the Allies' "Black List." Half a dozen told me it was the greatest piece of news since the Armistice!

## "The New Shop Girl."

When I saw Mr. Seymour Hicks during the week-end he told me that he was tremendously busy for the moment in producing a new version of that best of all musical comedies, "The



New picture of the Hon. Charles Kemp, older daughter of Lord Pembroke.



Miss Monica Cubitt, debutante daughter of Count and Countess Riccardi-Cubitt.

Shop Girl" for the Gaiety. The production, which will be called "The New Shop Girl," will be embellished with all sorts of new musical numbers.

## Wanted, Comedians!

One of the trials of Mr. Hicks' strenuous life just now is discovering new comedians. He tells me they are harder to find than needles in haystacks. Where are the budding Edmund Paynes?

## New Course.

A bid for increased popularity made by the North Foreland Golf Club involves the laying out of a miniature approaching and putting course of eighteen holes, which will differ from the big course by reason of the fact that the longest distance from tee to green will be only 120 yards. I am told that when the course is completed it will be the only one of its kind in Great Britain. "En-tout cas" tennis courts, to be set out near the clubhouse, are also in the scheme of development.

## The Great Untried.

A publisher friend is pessimistic about the future of untried authors. Nowadays a novel, he assures me, must sell two thousand copies before the publisher gets any profit; and only rarely does a new author attain to that figure. In the meantime, he warns would-be authors to keep off writing pads.

## The Hearthrug Brigado.

Travelling one thousand miles with the thermometer twenty degrees below zero must be an interesting experience for Mr. Percy Hutchison and his company now in Canada. I have a letter from somewhere near Winnipeg which tells me that the entire company, decked out in great furry coats, are nicknamed "The Hearthrug Brigado." In every town he goes Mr. Hutchison is called upon to make speeches about the British drama.

## Riverside Revels.

To-morrow night will be a "River Night" at Desti's. Everybody will go in flannels, or similar riparian vestments. The club is



Miss Edna Maude, having finished with her husband, returned to the French coast to variety.



Mrs. Thiers has, with her husband, returned to the French coast to variety.

going to look, as far as is possible to Bond-street, like a riverside. I shall be interested to see how the idea is carried out.

## A Southern Cricket League.

I am told that a determined effort is to be made this summer to start either a London or a Southern Cricket League on the lines of those that have proved so successful in Lancashire and Yorkshire. League cricket in the North is a distinct "draw," and the clubs can afford to offer professionals far better terms than the counties. THE RAMBLER.

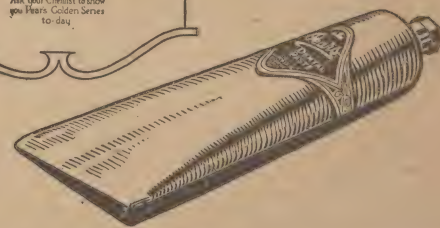
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## LORD GREY'S FUTURE.

Will There Be a New Independent Party?—Mr. Asquith at Paisley.

AS I HAVE MORE THAN ONCE STATED, Viscount Grey is not returning to Washington, and Lord Reading is mentioned as the next Ambassador. Viscount Grey may be regarded now as a certain first President of the League of Nations.

## Peace Still Lags.

I regret to hear that final and all-embracing Peace is very remote. Differences between the Entente representatives over Middle and Near Eastern questions are actively asserting themselves. Is it not time we had peace? People are asking nasty questions.

## In Great Form.

I am assured that Mr. Asquith is delighting his supporters at Paisley with his wonderful vigour. More attention is required to house-to-house visitation, and this is being attended to. The "betting" in Mr. Asquith's favour goes from strength to strength.

## The Wrekin Election.

When I saw Mr. Bottomley during the week-end he told me that he was more confident than ever over Mr. Charles Palmer's chances of success in the Wrekin by-election. As an independent anti-waste candidate Mr. Palmer appears to be attracting support from all parties.

## A New "Party."

Do not be surprised if a new Parliamentary Party suddenly emerges from the chaos of present-day politics. It would be called the Independent, and Mr. Bottomley would be the leader.

## The Nationalists.

Meanwhile, I hear that the people who want to build up a new National Party out of the present Coalition have been particularly busy during the past seven days. There have been dinners and breakfasts and many weighty consultations. The two most prominent people in the scheme at the moment are those inseparables, Mr. Churchill and the Lord Chancellor.

## Another General Election.

The better informed politicians are agreed that there will be a general election this year and, as I have said, probably in the autumn. Coalition supporters have been made aware during the recess of the feeling against the Government, and there are other straws, too. A big Asquith victory at Paisley might, indeed, accelerate matters.

## No "Too Late" for Him.

The Prime Minister is not the man to let grass grow under his feet, and very powerful pressure is being put upon him to go to the country with little delay with an advanced programme and with a list of Ministers more likely to receive public support than the present Cabinet. It will not do, it is said, to ask the country for a blank cheque for the Coalition under a new name.

## Lord Jellicoe.

It is true that Lord Jellicoe proposes to take up politics when he returns to London. His friends are making dark prophecies. I should have thought that the ex-First Sea Lord had had enough of politicians. Perhaps he wants to have a "knock" back!

## Haig to Rest.

I am assured that there is no foundation for the reports that Earl Haig is to undertake important work for the Government. He is retiring for some time into private life—except for his work for the Service men. He will not take up any important office this year. He badly needs a rest, I learn.







# ROUND the SHOPS

FANTASY AND FASHION.



Black taffeta makes charming this afternoon frock with its ruffled collar and its V-shaped neck. Two bouffant rolls of material give the desired panier effect.

of batter's plush to match. A large green ribbon placed at the back was

## JET PINS

placed in the centre of delicate blue tufts of ostrich feather made smart a cosy round-shaped cap of seal. Bands of seal to match adorned the neck and sleeves of its pretty wearer's wrap coat of blue blanket cloth.

## WHITE CARACUL

was the effective material of a charmingly draped evening cloak. A deep hem and wide upstanding collar of ermine made it a very cosy garment.



For windy days nothing could be cozier than this pretty tummy toque of broadened velvet.

TWO enormous roses, hand embroidered in the palest lemon-coloured fluffy wool were the unusual adornment of the two side panels of a straight cut wrap coat of tan duvetyne. A double silver-gilt buckle with a short, strong chain was the effective fastening which held the narrow material waist belt.

## MONGOLIE FUR

in deep bands made smart a well-tailored costume of dull green tricotette. To wear with it was a smart little reversed Napoleonic toque cockade of silver-tipped which held the narrow material waist belt.

MAJORIE.



A band of natural musquash and a deep collar to match trim this simple coat of nigger brown tricotette.



## UNCLE DICK'S LETTER.

Daily Mirror Office, Feb. 1.

### MY DEAR BOYS AND GIRLS,

In my postbag every morning there are often letters from readers living in tiny country villages. Sometimes I envy these lucky children. During the week-ends there is nothing I love better than to get right away from smoky old London, with its rows of buildings, crowded streets and dashing omnibuses. In the country it is all so different. One can hear the birds singing in the trees and see the promise of spring. But, there, I'm getting quite poetical, and that will never do, will it?

But, you see, I have had such a splendid week-end in one of the teeniest little villages you can possibly imagine. Of course, it did not pass without the usual adventure. My pets, while wandering about on their own, came across a poet composing his verses. When they saw him waving his arms in the air and reciting his lines they thought he really must be ill. However, it all ended happily.

Am holding over story to make room for list of prize-winners. I know you are all longing to know whether yours is among the lucky names.

Yours affectionately  
Uncle Dick.

IT IS NEVER WISE TO DISTURB A SPRING POET.



Meeting this man on Saturday, my pets did not realise that he was a poet. They thought he was ill, but got little thanks for their sympathy, I'm afraid.

## PANTO PRIZE-WINNERS.

Borough Theatre, Stratford.—"Dick Whittington." Double tickets have been sent to: Gladys Nichols, Winnie Chamberlain, Hilda Parry, Mabel Jaconet, Edna Madge, Miriam Bonasquet, Phyllis Barrett, Albert Majoram, Stanley Tricker, F. Gant, William Phillips, Herbert Varsen. Matinee, 10-day, February 2.

Kennington Theatre, London.—"Aladdin." Double tickets will be sent to: Edie Jordan, Margery Lewis, Gladys Higgs, Kathleen Sherlock, Hilda Fulcr, Kathleen Bourne, H. Godephon, Arthur Cooke, John Pike, George Borne, Bertram, Fredrick Bonney, Matinee, Wednesday, February 4.

Theatre Royal, Manchester.—"Sinbad." Double tickets have been sent to: Alice Young, Phyllis Flynn, Olive Smith, Hilda Comans, Edwin Unsworth, Vera Carroll, Nora Townsend, Bernice Smith, Marion Eatersley, Claude Husband. Matinee, Tuesday, February 3.

Palace Theatre, Manchester.—"Aladdin." Double tickets will be sent to: Doris Taylor, Florence Edgewell, Joan Drury, Kenelm Cottage, Irene Dyeon, Alice Buckley, Winifred Magall, W. Marples, Walter Liprott, James Lomas. Matinee, Wednesday, February 4.

Grand Theatre, Leeds.—"Tom, Tom, the Piper's Son." Double tickets have been sent to the following: Barbara Dixon, Eleanor Radford, Edith Storey, Arthur Turner, Mary Burrow, Edith Hinchard, Kenneth Besley, May McLaren, Dorothy Cocks, John Cowley, Isa Smith, Ronald Hughes. Matinee, Wednesday, February 4.

Princess Theatre, Bristol.—"Double Tickets" will be sent to: Phyllis Jones, Edward Rabbit, Tom Humphrey, Kenneth Hardwick, Norman Webb. Matinee, February 7.

Manor Bridgeman, Gloscey Picken, Mary Jeffries, Nora Stinton, Gwenie Wade. Matinee, February 14.

Athamra, Glasgow.—"Gunderell." Double tickets have been sent to: James Barrie, James Macdonald, Tessa Melville, Arnold Jewding, Andrew Selous, May McLaren, Dorothy Cocks, John Cowley, Isa Smith, Ronald Hughes. Matinee, February 5.

Coliseum, Glasgow.—"Jack and Jill." Double tickets will be sent to: Marie Gilbride, Helen Crawford, Tom Appleton, Jean Smith, Carmichael, Allan Gibson, Myrtle Clinton, Douglas Waring, Dulcie Royal, Charles Macpherson. Matinee, February 4.

Grand Opera House, Belfast.—"Sinbad." Double tickets will be sent to: Orr Boomer, Winifred Glover, L. Kishick, Ben Craig, Jollie O'Sullivan, The Officers, Molly Gallagher, Dorothy Hadden, W. Haynes, Ruby Mayne. Matinee, February 15.

(Remaining prize-winners will be announced during the week.)



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## PUTTING MONEY IN YOUR POCKET.

Here at last is a magnificent opportunity for the housewives of Great Britain to effect an extraordinary housekeeping economy whereby they can literally put money back into their own pockets every day, and at the same time assist in a great national money-saving campaign.

Every household, therefore, will welcome the wonderful "Multicooker" invention. The Multicooker, in fact, actually compels economy, inasmuch as instead of having to use the multitude of flaring jets it is only possible to use ONE Gas Ring.

## ARE YOU BURNING MONEY?

Just think what a saving may be yours! Do you realise that when you unnecessarily waste gas you are literally burning money? Do you realise that day by day penny that mount up pounds are being lost? Thanks, however, to the invention of this wonderful new "Multicooker," with its special principles of heat conservation and distribution, all the past and present difficulties and wastages are overcome.

At one single operation you can cook Soup, a Joint, the necessary Vegetables, Pudding or Pie, and also a splendid supply of Boiling Water for after "washing-up" can be secured.

As every housewife only knows too well, the cooking of such a meal as this with the ordinary gas stove entails the need of four sets of burners continually flaring away.

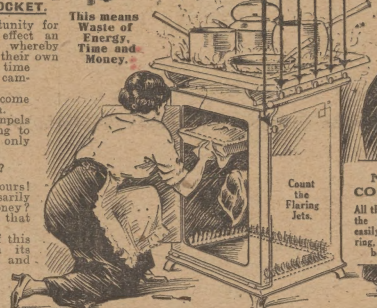
If gas meters were fixed in prominent positions in the house instead of out-of-the-way dark corners, so that the hands on the little dials could be seen racing round during the cooking of a full dinner, the average householder would be astonished at the gas consumed.

Public Demonstrations of the new Gas-Saving "Multicooker" take place daily at the Showrooms of the Company, The Public are cordially invited, free of charge, every day between ten a.m. and six p.m.

## THIS PICTURE PROVES HOW YOU CAN SAVE YOUR MONEY

See here how all the gas taps are turned on to cook your dinner. You can save this by using the "Multicooker."

This means Waste of Energy, Time and Money.



SEE WHAT YOU WASTE

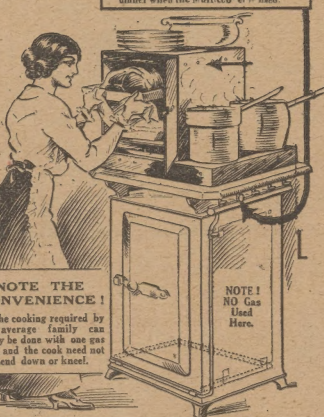
In thousands of homes throughout the United Kingdom the usual habit is to light one gas burner for each separate saucepan or kettle used, as well as two open lights to cook the meat itself. This means four or five burners constantly in use.

The "Multicooker" can also be used WITHOUT the Oven, and will boil FOUR LARGE UTENSILS WITH ONE GAS RING ONLY

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Another great feature in connection with the "Multicooker" is that it has been calculated that

NOTE—Instead of having three or four burners all cooking gas at the same time, only ONE burner is necessary to cook a complete dinner when the Multicooker is used.



NOTE THE CONVENIENCE! All the cooking required by the average family can easily be done with one gas ring, and the cook need not bend down or kneel.

SEE WHAT YOU SAVE

The above illustration indicates the Multicooker when used in combination with the Multicooker Oven. ONE BURNER ONLY of any ordinary Kitchen Gas Stove will cook all kinds of models in detail in the FREE Multicooker Book.

can be seen at the Company's Showrooms, and are fully described in detail in the FREE Multicooker Book.

when roasting meat with open coal range heat the wastage amounts to as much as 30 per cent. Thus a joint weighing 10lb. when raw would only weigh on the scales about 7lb. when cooked. Put with the "Multicooker" the loss in the weight of the joint when served is surprisingly small, thereby showing you that gas has not undergone the usual serious evaporation, shrinkage or drying up under the heat, but on the contrary has retained all its natural succulent juices and health-giving salts.

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Orchestra .....	50	Shoes .....	75
Lighting .....	60	Staff charges .....	50

The suggested new prices are:—

Stalls 14s. 6d., last two rows 12s.; dress circle, first two rows 12s., other rows, 10s. 6d.; upper circle, first two rows 7s., other rows 5s. 9d.

All these prices include tax. No increased charges will be made in the price of boxes, pit and gallery, at any rate for the present.

Mr. Mervyn McPherson, of Messrs. Grossmith and Laurillard, said that though the price of seats had not been raised, the theatres had made money.

"Before the war the average attendance was 23, now it was 5-6.

"This is due to a new type of playgoer, the people who have and are making money. Thus they are able to attend much oftener than the class which formed the bulk of theatre patrons before the war.

"Other reasons are the shortage of theatres and the normal expansion of London. Had there been no war there would have been at least five or six more new theatres by now.

"We have an open mind on the subject," said Mr. McPherson, "but I do not think that there will be any increase unless there is a general consensus of opinion in its favour among the managers."

### PIP AND SQUEAK: ACTORS.

First Public Performance in Aid of  
"Bart's" Hospital.

Pip and Squeak, the famous "Children's Mirror" pets, have just made their first appearance on the "concert stage" at the Victoria Hall Ealing—in a fête in aid of Bart's Hospital. They performed in a little playlet called "Pip and Squeak and Christopher." It was a merry five minutes of fun, concluding with a specially-written song.

Sir Harry Brittain, M.P., and Lady Brittain introduced them to all their friends. "Trust!" said Sir Harry, balancing his cigarette case on Pip's nose. "Pip stood like a statue with his nose in the air. 'Isn't he a darling?' cried one little girl, ecstatically clapping her hands.

Just then a troop of tiny girls dressed as fairies with dainty golden wings saw the pets.

"Pip and Squeak!" they cried and rushed towards them. "Oh, are you real?" said one.

"Of course we are!" growled Pip. "Aren't we, Squeak?"

### SHOCK FOR SLEEPERS.

Pullman Cars Leave Rails and Plunge  
Into Icy Lake.

BURLINGTON (Vermont), Saturday.

More than twenty people were injured in a railway accident to-day, when three sleeping cars on a Boston and New York train left the rails.

The derailed train was the Montreal express, and the sleeping cars rolled down the embankment into Lake Champlain, breaking the ice.

They came to rest upside down in the water. No lives were lost.—Reuter.

### DEATH FOR SPIES.

Man Who Corrected the Range of "Big Bertha" on Paris.

PARIS, Sunday.

Two spies, according to the *Petit Parisien*, are to be shot to-morrow morning at Vincennes. One is an Austrian officer named Funk and the other an agent of the German espionage organisation named Louis Gaspare.

Funk acted as observer of the effects of the German long-range gun on Paris, and enabled the enemy to rectify their range.

Gaspare was one of the most deservient and dangerous agents of the German espionage system.—Reuter.

### HELPED BRITISH SECRET SERVICE.

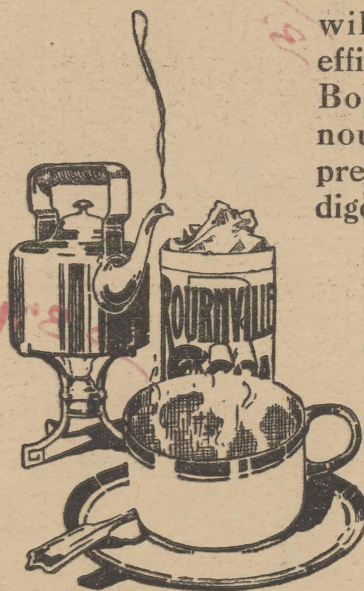
LIEGE, Sunday.

The presentation of British decorations to persons in the Provinces of Liege, Limbourg and Luxembourg who had rendered assistance to the British Intelligence Service took place here yesterday.

Speeches were delivered by the Governor of the Province of Liege and General Lynde, the latter thanking the Belgian population for the services rendered to the Allied Armies.—Reuter.

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# Daily Mirror

Monday, February 2, 1920.

## BRIGHT WEEK-END SPORT:

## CUP-TIE GAMES AND RUGBY INTERNATIONAL.



Bliss, 'Spurs, robs Feenan of the ball in a hot rush on the West Stanley goal. The 'Spurs won 4-0.



An Englishman collared round the neck. England beat France at Twickenham by 8 pts. to 3.



The Bristol goalie saves while an Arsenal forward is kept at bay.



The Villa goalkeeper saves a high one from Manchester United.



Campbell, the Liverpool goalie, punches away from Bookman. Liverpool had the better of the game throughout.



Two players in the Bristol v. Arsenal game were laid out in the same minute. Both were hit on the head by the ball.



Another incident in the Manchester United v. Aston Villa game. Once again the Villa custodian saves the situation.



Hinton, Swindon, punches the ball away from Cock's head.



"Heads under" in the West Ham-Bury game at Upton Park.

A general view of the play which led up to Liverpool's first goal. Lacey scored from a corner kick. Huge crowds of enthusiasts were present at the Cup-tie games on Saturday. The attendance at Stamford Bridge approached a record, and the receipts exceeded £5,000.